HASSAN DISTRICT.

Notification, dated 26th May 1896.

It is hereby notified for public information that the right of collecting Kuranga or whet stones in the Channarayapatna Taluk, during the official year 1896-97 (from 1st July 1896 to 30th June 1897), will be put up to public auction on the 14th July 1896, at the Arsikere Taluk Cutcherry, commencing at 11 A. M.

2. The Amildar or the Sheristadar will hold the sale.

3. The acceptance of the highest offer will be subject to confirmation by the Deputy-Commissioner, Hassan District.

4. Persons bidding at the sale should state whether they bid on their own account or as agents, and in the latter case should deposit authority signed by their principals; otherwise their bids will be rejected.

5. The purchaser will be required to deposit twenty-five per cent of the purchase money at the time of the sale, and if the remainder of the purchase money, together with the prescribed-local cess on the whole amount at one anna in the rupee, be not paid within seven days from the date of his being informed by the Amildar of the confirmation of the sale, the money so deposited shall be liable to forfeiture. If such deposits be not made, or if the remaining purchase money be not paid up, the right shall be re-sold at the expense and risk of the first purchaser.

6. The lessee is not to collect the stones on occupied lands except with the consent of the occupants, who, however, are not authorized to collect the stones on their lands, or to sell them to any person other than the lessee.

7. The lessee is not to interfere with the grazing right of the Hulbanni Izardars or renters of pasture.

8. The lessee is to allow unoccupied lands to be given out by Government for cultivation, reserving to himself the right of collecting the stones wherever found in them.

9. The lessee shall not dig up the lands for the collection of the stones, and, if the lands are dug up, shall fill up the pits so as to leave the lands fit for cultivation.

10. The lessee shall not remove the collected material except under a free license granted by the Amildar of the Taluk in which the stones were found, specifying the village in which the stone was collected, the quantity to be removed in maunds, and the place to which it is to be exported.

Proceedings of a meeting of the District Fund Board of the Hassan Circle, convened in the Deputy Commissioner's office, Hassan, on Wednesday the 15th April 1896.

PRESENT.

A. Krishnaswamaiengar, Esq., President.

Ex-Officio Members.

A. S. Nagavkar, Esq., Executive Engineer.
K. S. Chendrasekhara Iyer, Esq., General Assistant Commissioner.
G. Lakshmanaswami, Esq., Assistant Surgeon.
Mr. P. Nanjunda Naidu, Amildar of Hassan.
" B. Kesavaiengar, Amildar of Channarayapatna.
" K. Srikantaiya, Amildar of Belur.
" P. Subrayalu Naidu, Amildar of Holé-Narsipur.
" M. Gulam Mohadin, Amildar of Manjarabad.
" B. Senkaraiya, Amildar of Arkalgud.

Non-Official Members.

Mr. J. G. H. Crawford of Ubbur Estate.
" Kalasapur Tammaiya, Coffee Planter, Belur Taluk.
" Muhammad Ghaus Sahib, Manjarabad Taluk.
" Banavar Venkatesaiya, Arsikere Taluk.
" Venkataramaiya, Arkalgud Taluk.
" Venkatasubbaiya, Inamdar.

ABSENT.

Ex-Officio Member.

Mr. A. Viraraghavalu Naidu, Amildar of Arsikere.

Non-Official Member.

Mr. Hassan Krishnappa, (deceased).

1. The annexed statement showing receipts and expenditure under District Funds from October 1895 to the end of January 1896 was read to the Board.

Resolution.—Passed and recorded.

2. Read Executive Engineer's docket No. 318, dated the 1st instant, forwarding an application for a re-appropriation of Budget grant for 1895-96.

Resolution.—The Board observing the necessity for the re-appropriation proposed by the Executive Engineer resolved that Government sanction be obtained thereto.

3. Supplemental Budget for 1895-96 was read and explained as follows :—

The increases proposed are under the following heads :—

			Proposed Increase.
(1) A.	Public works to be executed by the Public Works Department ..	..	4,500
	Original works.—Saklespur-Gonibid road *via* Arehalli .. 3,500		
	Reserve 1,000		
(2) B.	Public works to be executed by the Revenue Department, Original works ..		1,880
(3) C.	Civil charges		400
			6,780

(1) Only Rs. 3,500 is provided for the Saklespur-Gonibid road against Rs. 5,000 proposed to be granted by the Board in Resolution 10, dated 11th January 1896, as the remaining Rs. 1,500 has been proposed by the Executive Engineer to be re-appropriated from the allotments already sanctioned. (*Vide*, re-appropriation statement read above).

The increase, proposed under the head "Reserve for minor works, original," is also necessary as it is required to meet the cost of special repairs to the Anemahal-Mudgere road and the opening of the Hanbal-Devarunda road. (*Vide* Resolution XXII *infra*).

(2) As the full amount of estimate for constructing a cart-stand at Arsikere, sanctioned by Government in Proceedings No. 3395-6—L. F. 18-95. dated 9th September 1895, is required for expenditure during the current year, an additional provision of Rs. 1,880 is made under the head "B. Public Works to be executed by Revenue Officers, I. Original Works."

(3) The sum of Rs. 400 provided under the head "C. Civil Charges" is to meet the cost of appliances to be supplied to the midwives recently transferred to this District and to adjust the cost incurred by the Public Works Department in repairing certain dispensaries.

Resolution.—Passed.

4. Read Chief Engineer's letter No. 688, dated 19th February 1895, observing that it is not clear from the Board's Proceedings (Resolution VII), dated 19th November 1894, whether it is proposed to make the whole road between Mallipatna and Changadihalli *viâ* Sanivarasante from Hassan Local Funds &c,

Resolution.—The Board wished in their Resolution quoted above that the Chief Engineer should urge on the Coorg Chief Commissioner a re-consideration of the original proposal that Coorg should undertake the construction of the portion of the road within that Province.

Resolved that considering that Addahalla bridge has been sanctioned and that the Bisle Ghat road is shorter to the coast than the Kemphole Ghat road, the authorities in Coorg may be urged again to give their best consideration to the great utility of the link from Mallipatna to Changadihalli, the Mysore portion being done by this administration from Local Funds.

5. Read Executive Engineer's Docket No. 195, dated 2nd March 1896, bringing to notice the desirability of raising the mileage allotment of the Hassan-Tiptur road to Rs. 150.

Resolution.—After discussion, resolved that the mileage allotment for the first ten miles be increased to Rs. 150 per mile and for the remaining 14 miles to Rs. 100, any section to be metalled being specially estimated for.

6. Read Government Proceedings No. 10503—L. F. 101-95, dated 12th March 1896, in the matter of opening a road from Hanbal to Byrapur.

Resolution.—Resolved that the opening of the road being necessary compensation be paid for the lands required for this road from the Local Funds, the same being contributed by Mr. Brooke Mockett and others interested.

7. *Establishing a Dispensary at Hanbal, Manjarabad Taluk.*

Read Resolution 13 of the Proceedings of the Meeting of the Board, dated 19th August 1895.

Resolution.—The Board fully recognizing the necessity for establishing a dispensary here, resolved that this dispensary, which will afford medical aid to 27 villages now too far from Saklespur, be opened from 1st July 1896, and that provision be made accordingly.

8. Constructing a musafirkhana at Hanbal, Manjarabad Taluk.

The President explained to the Board that Hanbal is an important staging place, being situated on the side of the Anemahal-Mudgere road, and that much inconvenience is felt by travellers for want of accommodation.

Resolution.—Resolved that the construction of a musafirkhana at Chamarajendrapur for which provision has been made in the Budget for 1896-97 be deferred till another year, and that a musafirkhana constructed here instead.

9. The Board resolve that the sinking of a well at Hanbal is also necessary and that an estimate be sanctioned for the same.

10. The President informed the Board that during his inspection he found Yeslur in the Manjarabad Taluk, a village of importance reqiured special conservancy arrangement and that the appointment of a sweeper was necessary.

Resolution.—Resolved that a sweeper on Rs. 5 per month be employed, the cost being met from the provision in the Budget under "Conservancy and sanitation of rural parts."

11. Read para 4 of the Proceedings of the Board, dated 11th January 1896, resolving that the District Fund Board will bear $\frac{1}{3}$rd cost of additions to the dispensary at Arsikere, the other $\frac{2}{3}$rds being borne by the Municipal and Provincial Funds as usual.

The President explained to the Board that the financial circumstances of the Municipality are very much straitened and that its income is not even sufficient to meet its most pressing demands and that the District Fund Board will therefore have to bear the Municipal share of contribution as well.

Resolution.—The Board concurring with the President resolved that the Municipality be exempted from this charge as in the case of the other charges of the dispensary, and that Government be addressed accordingly in the matter.

12. The Amildar of Arkalgood informed the Board that the Hassan-Periyapatna-Cannanore road on the Arkalgud-Dodkere tank bund is not broad enough, and that it is therefore necessary to make some arrangement to prevent danger to traffic passing over it.

Resolution.—The Executive Engineer be asked to examine the question and advice the Board as to the best and most economical way of protecting the sides of the tank.

13. Read Government Proceedings No. 10693-703—G. 319-92, dated 17th March last, asking the Deputy Commissioners of Districts to report whether the charges incidental on the out-break of cholera may be debited partly to District Funds and partly to medical savings.

Resolution.—The Senior Surgeon's proposal may be accepted and the charges debited partly to District Funds and partly to medical savings.

14. Read Government Proceedings No. 10647-55—Mis. 1495, dated 16th March 1896, requesting to submit any suggestions in the matter of sanitary arrangements to be made in places where periodical jatras or fairs last for more than three days.

Resolution.—Resolved that the matter be placed before the Board at its next meeting with full particulars which have been called for from the Amildars.

15. Read letter from Mr. J. S. Middleton, dated 7th April 1896, forwarding a bill for Rs. 419-8-0, for repairing the Marnahalli-Kadamane road, and requesting that Rs. 300, previously sanctioned by the Board for repairing the road, be given him. He further states that an additional sum be given him to meet the cost of maintaining the road during the current year.

Read also Board's Resolution III, dated 28th April 1894, on the same subject.

Resolution.—Resolved that Rs. 300 previously granted by the Board be paid to Mr. Middleton. As regards maintaining the road in future the Executive Engineer will kindly have the question examined and advise the Board as to the mileage, &c.

16. Read petition from Moktesar Patel Mallegauda of Igur and others bringing to notice the state of disrepair of the cart-track from Yeslur to Hethur, and praying that the road be maintained at Government cost.

The President informed the Board that during his inspection he found the road to be a very useful one.

Resolution.—Resolved that this road be recognized as a District Fund road, that Rs. 20 per mile be given annually for its repairs to Igur Mallegauda, and that mutchalika be taken from him to keep the road in a trafficable order.

17. Read Arsikere Amildar's No. 279, dated 3rd instant, reporting on the necessity of constructing out-houses to the musafirkhana at Banawar, and submitting a plan and estimate for Rs. 385 for the same.

Resolution.—The Board considering the buildings to be very incommodious resolved that the plan and estimate be passed, and funds provided by re-appropriation from the sanctioned allotments.

18. Read Arsikere Amildar's Arzi No. 283, dated 29th ultimo, stating that one Nanjegauda of Doddenahalli has excavated a well (pond) at a cost of Rs. 251 on the side of the Arsikere-Huliyar road, and has collected materials amounting to Rs. 175 for further work to be done to it. The well requires stone-revetting and further deepening at an additional cost of Rs. 561 which Nanjegauda is unable to bear. The Amildar, therefore, states that the remaining work may be done out of District Funds as Nanjegauda has consented to make over the well to Government with materials at site and has given a contribution of Rs. 50 in cash. The well is not only useful to the inhabitants of Doddenahalli but also to the travelling public. Deducting the amount of contribution paid and the value of work done up to date by Nanjegauda the net amount to be sanctioned is Rs. 561, for which an estimate is submitted.

Resolved that this work be included in the list of works to be executed out of Local Funds General during next year.

19. Read Government Official memo No. 11379-86—L. F. 61-95, dated 8th April 1896, calling for lists of works to be executed out of Local Funds General during 1896-97, and requesting to state what special grant is needed from Local Funds General during 1896-97.

The lists prepared were also read to the Board.

Resolution.—The Board in approving of the lists, resolved that, as per particulars therein contained, Government be respectfully requested to grant a sum of Rs. 18,958, or such amount as could be spared from Local Funds General.

20. Read Senior Surgeon's docket No. 2382, dated 6th April 1896, requesting to be furnished with certain additional information in regard to the employment of an Hospital Assistant for visiting Banawar and Harnahalli.

Resolution.—The population of Banawar and Harnahalli are 2,017 and 2,224, respectively. As Harnahalli is nearer to Arsikere than Banawar the Hospital Assistant may have Banawar as his head-quarter. Two separate supplies of medicines and appliances are not therefore necessary. The cost of one set of furniture, &c., for Banawar will be paid by the Board. A portion of the old cutcherry may be given for dispensary purposes.

21. Read Executive Engineer's docket No. 345, dated 14th April 1896, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 450 for tracing and opening out a road from Hanbal to Devarunda and explaining the necessity for the same.

Resolution.—The Board approved the estimate and resolved that a sum of Rs. 500 be given for the current year's expenditure on the road.

22. Read letter, dated 14th April 1896, from Mr. Fletcher Norton of Kalale Estate bringing to notice the desirability of opening a road from Eachelbede to Chengadihalli and offering to pay a contribution of Rs. 700 towards the cost of the work.

Resolution.—Resolved that information as to the length of the road to be opened and the probable cost of the work be ascertained from the taluk and the matter placed before the Board at its next meeting.

23. Read Alur Deputy Amildar's Arzi No. 241, dated 17th March 1896, submitting an estimate for Rs. 495 for improving the drinking water well at Palya.

Resolution.—Resolved that the estimate be sanctioned.

24. The following papers were read for the information of the Board :—

(i) Government Proceedings No. 8100-2—L. F. 148-94, dated 18th January 1896, sanctioning certain modifications in the grants made for original works to be executed by the Public Works Department in the current year's District Fund Budget.

(ii) Government Order No. 8204-13—L. F. 50-94, dated 20th January 1896, approving the standard plans and estimates for 1st, 2nd and 3rd class musafirkhanas submitted by the Chief Engineer. (The plans received with the Chief Engineer's Circular 21, dated 30th March 1896, were placed before the Meeting for the information of the members).

(iii) Government Order No. 8274-83—L. F. 55-93, dated 21st January 1896, sanctioning the appointment of a relieving midwife for all the Districts in the Province, except Mysore and Shimoga.

(iv) Proceedings No. 8346-83—L. F. 76-94, dated 22nd January 1896, declining to introduce any system of levy of fees in respect of musafirkhanas, and stating that Government officials should not occupy them for more than three days at a time without the Deputy Commissioner's special permission.

(v) Government Order No. 8727—L. F. 379-92, dated 29th January 1896, in regard to the supervision of small public works of local interest requiring no professional skill by members.

(vi) Government Order No. 9177-85—L. F. 137-92, dated 8th February 1896, enhancing the powers of the Presidents of the Municipal and Local Fund Boards in regard to works executed by the Revenue Department.

(vii) Government Proceedings No. 10678-81—L. F. 27-93, dated 17th March 1896, sanctioning the establishment of a dispensary at Arehalli, Belur Taluk.

(viii) Government Order No. 10322-4—L. F. 107-95, dated 20th March 1896, sanctioning a sum of Rs. 17,669 from Local Funds General for constructing a bridge across the Addahalla, Maujarabad Taluk.

(ix) Government Order No. 11167-9—L. F. 105-93, dated 31st March 1896, sanctioning a revised estimate for Rs. 1,297 for excavating a feeder channel from Chugachakatte to Solapur tank.

(x) Government Proceedings No. 10018-9—L. F. 73-94, dated 27th February last, sanctioning the continuance of the kotwal attached to the 3rd class travellers' bangalo at Gandasi.

(xi) Government Proceedings No. 11274—L. F. 107-95, dated 2nd April 1896, stating that the question of maintaining the Bisleghat road out of Provincial Funds is being considered in the Public Works Department.

Resolution.—Recorded.

Details of receipts and of expenditure and balance of the Hassan District Local Fund Circle from 1st October to the end of January 1896.

Items.	Receipts. Details.	During October, November, December and January 1896. Rs. a. p.	Items.	Expenditure. Details.	During October, November, December and January 1896. Rs. a. p.
	Balance on 1st October 1895 ...	70,175 5 10	A.	Public Works executed by P. W. D:—	
	One anna cess on Land Revenue ...	...		I. Original works ...	7,559 13 3
				II. Repairs ...	12,673 3 1
I.	Seventy-six per cent of ditto creditable to District Funds ...	11,186 2 10		III. Establishments ...	2,295 9 4
II.	Sale of stray cattle ...	723 4 0		IV. Tools and plant ...	36 0 0
III.	Fines for cattle trespass. ...	2,386 1 11		Total A. ...	22,564 9 8
V.	Ferry collections ...	1,072 1 10	B.	Public Works executed by Revenue Officers:—	
V.	Tolls ...	...		I. Original works ...	1,366 14 3
VI.	Fees from travellers' bangalos ...	18 10 0		II. Repairs ...	634 8 4
VII.	Private contributions ...	129 0 0		III. Establishments ...	180 0 0
VIII.	Grants-in-aid ...	...		IV. Tools and plant ...	...
IX.	Sale of manure ...	41 14 0		V. Imprest to Amildars. ...	...
X.	Miscellaneous:—			Total B. ...	2,181 6 7
	(1) Forfeiture of ferry contract deposit ...	2 4 0	C.	Civil charges:—	
	(2) Rangacharlu's chattram-rent ...	10 0 0		Dewan's office establishment and contingencies.	62 12 10
	(3) Forfeiture of deposit of sale of manure ...	4 10 0		Comptroller's office establishment and contingencies.	0 11 7
	(4) Other items ...	7 0 0		Pay and batta of statistical clerk ...	179 12 2
	(5) ...			Medical scholarships ...	96 7 0
	(6) ...			Pay and scholarships to midwives ...	291 0 1
	(7) ...			Hospitals and dispensaries ...	839 15 0
	(8) ...			Charges of diet and feeding in-patients.	85 9 0
	(9) ...			Examination fee of Hospital Assistants.	16 14 0
	(10) ...			Vaccination ...	23 6 0
				Conservancy and sanitary charges ...	489 13 0
				Commission to pound-keepers ...	689 14 3
				Cost of feeding impounded cattle ...	512 8 3
				Cost of feeding Amrut Mahal bulls ...	104 6 0
				Sweepers for travellers' bangalos ...	414 3 6
				Toll-gate establishment and cotingencies.	...
				Supervision charges ...	...
				Contributions ...	...
				Refunds ...	163 8 0
				Pensions ...	...
				Miscellaneous:—	
				(1) Mileage of Local Board members.	23 0 0
				(2) Puchase and repairs of furniture.	...
				(3) Destruction of cover for snakes.	197 0 0
				(4) Head office contingencies ...	...
				(5) Other items ...	...
	Total Income ...	15,581 0 7		Total C. ...	4,191 7 8
				Grand Total of A, B. and C. ...	28,937 7 11
				Balance at end of the month ...	56,818 14 6
	Total including Balance ...	85,756 6 5		Grand Total ...	85,756 6 5

Supplemental Budget estimates of receipts and expenditure under District Funds of the Local Fund Circle of the Hassan District for the year 1895-96.

Receipts.	Already sanctioned.	To be sanctioned.	Total.	Expenditure.	Already sanctioned.	To be sanctioned.	Total.	Remarks.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	A.—Public Works to be executed by D. P. W.—	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
One anna cess on Land Revenue.	77,000	...	77,000					
				I Original (*vide* Enclosure B).	25,000	4,500	29,500	Resolution 1
				II Repairs (*vide* Enclosure C).	35,140	...	35,140	dated 11th J
				III Establishments ...	15,250	...	15,250	nuary 1896.
				IV Tools and plant ..	500	...	500	
I. 76 per cent of ditto creditable to District Funds.	58,520	..	58,520	V Reserve	...	...	...	
				Total A ...	75,890	4,500	80,390	
II. Sale of stray cattle.	1,800	...	1,800	B.—Public Works to be executed by Revenue Officers.—				
				I Original (*vide* Enclosure B).	6,614	*1,880	8,494	*Cart stand
III. Fines for cattle trespass.	6,200	...	6,200	II Repairs (*vide* Enclosure C).	3,000	...	3,000	Arsikere.
				III Establishments ...	1,000	...	1,000	
				IV Tools and plant ...	...	...	...	
				V Reserve	...	...	...	
IV. Ferry collections...	3,200	...	3,200	Total B ...	10,614	1,880	12,494	
				C.—Civil Charges—				
V. Tolls ...	...	...	..					
				I Office establishments ...	616	...	616	
				II Medical scholarships ...	340	...	340	
				III Hospitals and dispensaries...	4,191	...	4,191	
VI. Fees from 3rd class travellers' bangalos.	50	...	50	IV Midwives ...	1,395	50	1,445	Applinces t
				V Sweepers and care-takers for 3rd class travellers' bangalos and musafir-khanas, &c.	1,080	...	1,080	midwives.
VII. Private contributions.	2,500	...	2,500					
				VI Conservancy and sanitary charges ...	4,120	...	4,120	
				VII Vaccination ..	95	...	95	
VIII. Grants-in-aid ...	...	...	...	VIII Refunds ...	157	...	157	
				IX Contribution ...	...	350	350	
				X Miscellaneous—				
IX. Miscellaneous—								
				(1) Repairs to cattle pounds	2,000	...	2,000	
(1) ...	120	...	120	(2) Commission to pound-keepers ...	1,200	...	1,200	
(2) ...	50	...	50	(3) Cost of feeding impounded cattle ..	1,500	...	1,500	
(3) ...	10	...	10	(4) Destruction of cover for snakes ...	1,000	...	1,000	
(4) ...	...	...	...	(5) Travelling allowances to members of the Board.	300	...	300	
(5) ...	...	...	..	(6) Supply of boats ...	150	...	150	
(6) ...	...	...	...	(7) Purchase & feeding charges of Amrut Mahal bulls. ...	700	...	700	
(7) Other items.	200	...	200	(8) Other items ...	150	...	150	
				Total C ...	18,994	400	19,394	
Total Income ...	72,650	...	72,650					
				Total A, B and C ..	1,05,498	6,780	1,12,278	
Opening Balance as intimated by the Comptroller ...	86,730	...	86,730	Closing Balance ...	...	...	47,102	
Grand Total ...	1,59,380	...	1,59,380	Grand Total ...	...	...	1,59,380	

A. KRISHNASWAMAIENGAR, *Dy. Comr. & President.*